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Gentlemen:

I hope you will forgive a joint letter when I remind you that I am acknowledging from both of you gentlemen practically the same communication.

Most warmly do I appreciate the gracious spirit in which you have presented your views about the incident that took place on our campus.

I cannot pretend that I am in complete agreement with you as to those views, but I shall always remember the courtesy of your spirit.

The year for this institution is over on Friday. We have no summer school and our boys scatter. I do not see that anything could be accomplished now by any attempt to reopen this incident as a campus issue or topic.

Please let me assure you that if either one of you should be in this part of the country, we shall be delighted to have a visit from you.

With best wishes for you in your own important tasks, I am

Cordially yours,

Francis P. Gaines
President